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## 'Everything to live for'

Wife heartbroken after search for missing husband ends in tragedy

BY NICHOLAS BIEBER

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The grieving wife of a man found dead following a battle with depression has told how she is 'still expecting him to walk through the door'.

The body of Colin Addington, 55, was discovered at Pitsford Reservoir on Saturday after he failed to turn up for work several days earlier.

His wife of 25 years, Wendy - who he first met at a Northampton pub and lived with at their home in Spinney Hill - says her husband 'had everything to live for'. "I just can't believe it," she told the H&P. "I keep going over everything and thinking 'could I have done more?'"

"Colin was a gentleman - a quiet, homely man who loved going outdoors and would do anything for me and his family and friends.

"He wasn't a man for wanting a lot of things, he was just happy being at home and being with family."

■ Full story on p11

TRAGIC: Colin Addington, pictured here with his wife Wendy, was found in Pitsford Reservoir on Saturday

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# #snapjustice



#Snapjustice knows everyone has got an excuse and they all stink. This picture was sent in by a reader of a car in Kettering taking up two spaces. What a cheek! Either the driver is normally used to a wider load or was fearful of

scuffing their wing mirrors. . . As part of the Northants Herald & Post's #snapjustice campaign send in your pictures of what gets you angry, whether it's bad parking, fly-tipping and other gripes which might bother you.

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## text 2 text

Where is your favourite spot in the world?

A village on the North Devon coast called Bucks Mill. It is far from any tourist areas.

What was the last thing you broke?

I am usually very careful. I scraped my car door on an old stone gate post recently.

If Kenneth J Nash was a drink what drink would he be?

I would be an amazingly fresh and invigorating cup of tea.

What was the name of your teddy bear as a child?

I recall I had a ginger coloured bear I called Rupert



This week's Txt 2 Txt is with Northamptonshire singer/songwriter, Kenneth J Nash

What is your favourite sandwich?

Anything different from the last, I like to experiment.

What is the one item you want back?

My old VW Beetle, I brought it back to life after finding it dilapidated and unloved.

What is the one song which makes you cry or get emotional?

Have I Told You Lately by Van Morrison.

Who is the most famous person you have met face to face?

Martin & Eliza Carthy and Suzanne Vega.

## H&P Letter



### Celebrate diversity and give talent a chance to flourish

The new Mayor of Northampton, Cllr Christopher Malpas, has chosen celebrating diversity as one of his themes while in office.

He would like everyone to celebrate their differences be it their language, culture, religion, nationality or ability.

As Mayor he would like people to realise we are not all the same but that difference is something to treasure.

Cllr Malpas is 'different' as he has been classified as 'severely sight impaired' which means he is blind.

As a society we should not put up barriers or make it harder for people to succeed if they are 'different'.

We can all try to improve, to be a better sportsman or sportswoman. If we have a talent at whatever level, let us encourage and help it flourish.

Only a small percentage will ever rise to the very top, to be a professional. If football spent less money and encouraged talent then there would be more Jamie Vardys in the Premier League. He did not get there because Leicester City spent

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mega millions. No, the club spent £1m to buy him (a non league player) and for them that £1m has been one reason they won the Premier League this season. You have to remember we cannot all be number one in the world.

A J F O'Reilly once said when he toured with the British Lions in 1955 in South Africa, he scored 10 tries in six games and then six tries in 10 games. He asked a fellow player why the tries had dried up. He was told 'the bigger the name the smaller the gaps. You have to work twice as hard from now on'.

Dedication is what Roy Castle said would make you a Record Breaker. While in essence it is true, what you need is a talent you can nurture.

It may last a year or two or all your career. This week, Ellie Robinson, a pupil at Northampton High School was selected by The British Paralympic Association as one of the 31 swimmers who will compete for ParalympicsGB at Rio 2016.

What an adventure for a teenager. This is an achievement which Northamptonshire can be proud of.

*Lawrence John*  
\*Editor Steve Scoles is away

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## NEWS IN BRIEF

## Life-changing

A teenager has spoken of how she is happier than ever after being placed with a foster family. Charlie shared her story as part of Foster Care Fortnight and is encouraging others to help change a child's life. Read more on our website.

## M1 collision

Two lanes of the M1 in Northampton were shut on Wednesday, after a collision involving two lorries and a car. The crash took place shortly after 10.30am between J16 and 17. For updates, visit [northampton-news-hp.co.uk](http://northampton-news-hp.co.uk)

## Man on tracks

A wanted man fleeing from police officers in Northampton brought trains to a standstill when he hid next to a live railway line. The man had been a passenger in a car which was stopped by cops on Monday.

## Teen assaulted

A 13-year-old boy suffered a dislocated jaw, cuts and bruises in an assault in Daventry town centre. The incident took place at about 7pm on Wednesday, May 11 in High Street near to Argos.

## Smashed up

The front windows of a house in Shakespeare Road, Wellingborough, were smashed on Tuesday, between 8am and 9.40am. The offender is believed to be a white teenager boy, aged about 17, with blonde hair.

# Ellie will make a splash in Rio

BY LAWRENCE JOHN  
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A student will be going for gold at the Paralympic Games this summer in Rio.

Ellie Robinson, a pupil at Northampton High School, has been selected by The British Paralympic Association as one of 31 swimmers. She will join the formidable list of Paralympic multi-medallists including Ellie Simmonds.

This is particularly special as Simmonds, who became a household name in the UK following her incredible performances at Beijing in 2008 and at London 2012, inspired Ellie to take up swimming.

In June last year Ellie said she was striving to be selected for the Paralympic Games in Tokyo 2020 so to be selected this year is a dream come true.

Ellie is currently away training and couldn't be reached for a comment but Mrs Hackett, director of sport at Northampton



SWIMMER: Ellie Robinson has been selected for Rio

High School, said: "We are all delighted to hear that Ellie has been selected for Rio 2016.

"We are immensely proud of her and her achievement and will be supporting her all the way."

Ellie joined the Junior School at Northampton High School in

September 2008 and then started weekly swimming lessons with the PE department.

In 2012 the department received a flyer about the Northamptonshire Disability Sport Weekend which they forwarded to Ellie's mother and encouraged her to attend.

It was here she was picked up by Northampton Swimming Club and, two years ago, her talent was identified by British Swimming at another local event.

At the British Gas ASA National Para-Swimming Championships last year Ellie won gold in the MC 50m butterfly and silver medals in the MC 50m and 100m freestyle.

She holds the British record for the 50m butterfly and the world record for the 100m butterfly for the S6 classification.

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## Bungling burglar stuck in window

A suspected burglar was arrested by police after getting stuck in a window while he allegedly tried to break into a house in Kettering.

The bungling would-be thief had tried to burgle the

house in Barnwell Street at around 6.30am last Saturday.

Police say the householders had been 'awoken by a lot of noise', before discovering the man had got himself wedged in a

downstairs window. Officers arrived and arrested the 28-year-old man on suspicion of burglary and drugs offences.

He was held in custody for questioning and then charged with burglary.

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## She's in fashion



Less than a year since graduating from the University of Northampton, Ngoni Chikwenengere has launched her own brand new fashion label. We are Kin is a collaborative effort but led by Ngoni.

## Eddie's got talent



A 13-year-old autistic schoolboy has earned a standing ovation on the West End stage.

Eddie Dancer, who lives in Brackley, played the violin at Autism's Got Talent at the Mermaid Theatre.

# Vandals lift the lead off church roof

An attempted lead theft looks set to have cost a church dearly. Lawrence John finds out more.

It was a crime scene. This was not your usual 'police tape do not cross crime scene', but a crime scene in rural Northamptonshire.

The setting could not have been more idyllic with countryside for miles around and the ability to see three other villages from this vantage point.

The crime scene in question was at St Peter and St Paul Church in Easton Mauduit.

In the early hours of

Thursday, May 12, thieves attempted to rip 15 sheets of lead covering off the roof.

The perpetrators had climbed up via a drainpipe and rolled up the 15 sheets of lead.

The would-be thieves had thrown down two sections into the churchyard but for whatever reason did not complete the crime or steal any lead.

The damage alone will cost hundreds of pounds to repair.

Church warden Tim Allebone, who is also a Wellingborough Councillor, was dismayed the medieval church had been targeted in this way.

He said: "The thieves had rolled up 15 sheets of lead from the church roof in an attempt to steal them."

"We had a lead theft 10 years ago on the north side of the church and had to replace that with stainless steel."

"What is annoying is the cost of the lead the thieves have tried to steal does not

**DAMAGE:** The lead pulled from the roof and inset, St Peter and St Paul Church in Easton Mauduit



equate to the amount of damage they have caused.

"What has happened here is wanton vandalism and I would warn other churches in the county to be extra vigilant. We all have to be vigilant as what happened here is a disgrace."

A police spokesperson said: "We have worked closely with churches across Northamptonshire, providing crime prevention advice for a number of years."

"In October last year we hosted a lead theft seminar

for churches, where representatives were able to learn more about the crime and the crime prevention measures available to them.

"We will continue to work with churches to help provide crime prevention advice while at the same time investigate incidents when they take place."

"Anyone who would like more information about how to protect against lead theft can contact their local Safer Community Team online or by calling 101."



**INVESTIGATION:** Officers get to work at the scene

**ANNOYED:** Church warden Tim Allebone

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- 1** The Beatles appeared twice in March and October 1963.
- 2** The Rolling Stones came to town on October 16, 1965.
- 3** The Kinks performed at the former ABC Cinema on April 16, 1968.
- 4** The Small Faces gave a concert there on October 26, 1966.
- 5** The Yarbuds came to Northampton on November 29, 1965.



# Northampton is lotto lucky spot

BY LAWRENCE JOHN  
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**Do you feel lucky? You would do if you lived in Northampton and had an NN postcode.**

The Northampton postcode has landed a spot in the top quarter of the National Lottery's new league of luck – making it officially one of the luckiest places to live.

Out of the nation's 121 postcode areas, the NN region ranks equal 26th for the number of millionaires made in the last two years.

Since the launch of the National Lottery, 40 millionaires have been made in Northampton.

This is equivalent to one almost every six months. In total, 360 top tier prizes of at least £50,000 have been banked by players in the NN postcode.

Local winners who have shared news of their win include Wellingborough couple Sue and Chris Bowers, who netted a £3.4 million Lotto jackpot in July 2012, and Viv and Kev Moss who walked away £6.8m richer

after hitting the jackpot in October 1998.

Andy Carter, senior winners' advisor for the National Lottery, the man who pays the big winners, said: "Northampton has enjoyed a good share of wins over the years. We hope it continues to stay lucky."

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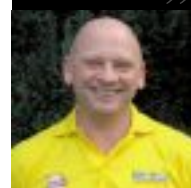
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Simon Edens



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**Van Morrison**  
**Moondance**

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**Sia**  
**Breathe Me**

This track is beautiful. It's about being kind to ourselves and each other.

**The Decemberists**  
**My Mother was a Chinese Trapeze Artist**

This combines an unusual storyline, great lyrics and singer Colin Meloy. Class.

# Food fest cooks up big turnout



## Stars on stage

Thousands of people flocked to Northampton's Becket's Park for the town's Food and Drink Festival last weekend.

The two-day event featured a line-up of celebrity chefs, alongside artisan producers from across the UK.

Two 'cooking theatres' saw the likes of Levi Roots (pictured), Phil Vickery, Christophe Novelli and Theo Randall show off their skills. While the Food Hall saw local and regional speciality food and drink producers showcasing everything from meats and cheeses to artisan baking.

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## NEWS IN BRIEF

## Film premier

A University of Northampton graduate who lives in the town will screen his first feature film, *Malady*, at the Errol Flynn Filmhouse in Northampton next week. Jack James' film will be shown at a Cult Film Club on May 25.

## Best Bar None

Five pubs in Corby have been accredited with 'Best Bar None' status thanks to the Best Bar None Awards. The winners are Saxon Crown, Samuel Lloyd, Corby Conservative Club, The Viking Club and Rockingham Hotel.

## Arson attack

The driver's side window of a red Honda Civic was smashed and accelerant thrown inside causing the car to set alight. The arson attack happened at around midnight on Monday, May 16, in Drake Close, Daventry.

## Nuisance riders

Police in Wellingborough are appealing for information from local people to help tackle motorcycle nuisance in the town and nearby villages. Officers have received reports of motorcycles being ridden in an anti-social manner.

## Leather centre

Planning permission has been given by Northampton Borough Council for the University of Northampton to transfer its Institute for Creative Leather Technologies to the former Vulcan Works site in Guildhall Road.

## Voice auditions

Auditions for the *The Voice* are being held in town.

People can attend O'Neils bar in the Drapery on Tuesday, May 24 at 9pm or at the University of Northampton's Avenue Campus at 10am the next day.

## Half term fun

The Activity Hub at Brackley Leisure Centre will run May half-term fun for kids aged five to 15. They can participate in a wide range of sports and arts activities.

Further details call 01327 322337.

## Mobility show

The Mobility Roadshow incorporating Get Going Live! will showcase the latest products and services to enhance independent mobility from May 26-28 at Silverstone Circuit from 10am daily.

**DRINK UP:** The Bell Inn in Finedon is up for sale as Dennis and Jo Willmott are retiring after 47 years



# Last orders at the oldest pub

BY NICHOLAS BIEBER  
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The oldest pub in Northamptonshire is up for sale as its owner calls time after 47 years behind the bar.

The Bell Inn, in Finedon near Wellingborough, has been put on the market for £595k by retiring owner Dennis Willmott, aged 75, who has manned the pumps since 1969.

Dating back to 1042 as Tingdene Hostelrie - a monastic hospice for travellers - the later

named 'Bell Inn' is thought to be the oldest of its kind in the country.

Its current Listed main Inn was built in 1598, and includes three bars and a restaurant - with four rooms ready to be turned into motel rooms.

But despite having attracted thousands of regulars, including visits from former World Champion snooker player Peter Ebdon, and broadcaster Sir David Frost, its owner Mr Willmott has had enough.

"I think I have done my time and I am tired now,"

he said. "I'm registered blind and can only see a little bit out of my left eye, so it's hard work at the moment."

Mr Willmott, who took over the pub after moving from his home in Wilmington aged 28, married wife Jo nearly 10 years ago, and they have both run the pub since.

Looking back on his journey, he said: "It'll be sad to go, it has been my life."

"I have made many friends here. But I need to stop, I don't want to work until I drop!"

# Part-time prisons pilot

The Queen's speech has revealed a major prison system shake-up which will see criminals in Northants released from jail back into the community to work.

A pilot system as part of the reforms, the biggest since the Victorian era, will see low-risk inmates fitted with satellite tags and allowed to out of prison to work on week days.

These criminals will only serve jail time during weekends, while spending weekdays at home, in a move which the government hopes will transform overcrowded jails into 'places where lives are changed'.

The scheme will be piloted from September in eight police areas,

including - alongside Northants - Cambridgeshire, Bedfordshire, Nottinghamshire, Leicestershire, Staffordshire, West Midlands and Hertfordshire.

Among these reforms - revealed in yesterday's speech - unprecedented new powers will also be granted to six of the UK's biggest jails.

HMP Wandsworth, one of Europe's biggest jails, will be among the 'reform prisons' given a great degree of autonomy over their budget, operations and manage-

ment. HMP Holme House in County Durham, HMP Kirklevington Grange in North Yorkshire, HMP Coldingley and HMP High Down in Surrey, and HMP Ranby in Nottinghamshire - will also be given more powers under the new regime.

Prime Minister David Cameron said: "This is one nation Queen's Speech from a one nation Government."

"It sets out a clear programme of social reform, so we break down the barriers to opportunity and extend life chances to all."

"And nowhere is that reform needed more than in our prisons."

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SEARCH SCENE: Police searched for more than 72 hours before Colin Addington's body was found

# Fisherman found missing Colin, 55

BY NICHOLAS BIEBER  
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Police pulled the body of a missing man out of a lake four days after he disappeared.

Colin Addington (pictured right), 55, a service engineer of Spinney Hill, had disappeared after failing to turn up for work at Hearing and Mobility in King Edward Road last Tuesday.

He had last been seen by his wife, Wendy, 53, who said he 'looked absolutely fine' when he dropped her off at work in Brackmills on the same morning.

His van, which was fitted with a tracker, was found parked at Pitsford Reservoir later on the same day.

He was then reported missing and major police search of the area got underway, with public appeals being released via the media.

By Friday, search teams had completed their investigations of the area and decided to spread out into nearby villages.

It was not until Saturday that a fisherman discovered



a body at the reservoir - which police later confirmed was that of Mr Addington.

Officers have said his death was not being treated as suspicious.

"I didn't believe it when the police told me a body had been found," his wife Wendy said, "despite the fact they pretty much said it was him."

"A part of you thinks 'yes it's him', another says 'no, he wouldn't do this'."

Mrs Addington fears her husband took his own life, having battled with depression for 18 months, but struggles to come to terms with it

as he 'looked fine' on the day he went missing. "You'd look at Colin and think 'he doesn't look depressed'," she said.

"We always woke up together at home and it was no different on Tuesday."

"He dropped me off at work and seemed fine. He said 'see you later, 5pm', and I said 'yes, shouldn't be late...'"

"But that's the thing with depression - it's in the mind, it's an illness you can't see."

Describing her husband, who she first met through friends at The Abington pub on Valentine's Day in 1987, Wendy said: "He was a gentleman - a quiet, homely man who loved travelling the country in our caravan, enjoyed being in our garden and had even recently joined a bowls club."

"He wasn't a man for wanting a lot of things, he was just happy being at home with me."

Reserving words for those who tried to help find Colin, Wendy added: "I want to thank the public and the police - they couldn't have done anything more. I'm really grateful."

## CCTV victim of crime

A camera used to catch out criminals in a park has fallen victim to crime itself.

Part of the camera attached to a lamp-post on the Race-course in Northampton was stolen sometime between last Friday and Saturday.

The main camera lens unit which is housed on a lamp-post opposite the Colwyn Road

entrance to the park was taken. Officers would like to speak to people who may have witnessed anyone acting suspiciously near the device or who may have been offered a lens of this type for sale.

Anyone with information about this incident can contact police on 101 or Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555 111.

## Man dies in crash

A 51-year-old man from Northampton has died after his car careered off the road and collided with a tree.

The collision occurred at around 11.40pm last Saturday when the driver - in a blue Peugeot 307 - was travelling along Boughton Lane in Moulton.

The driver died at the scene, while the passenger was taken

to Northampton General Hospital and is in a stable condition.

The car had been travelling along Boughton Lane towards Moulton, having come from Boughton Green Road.

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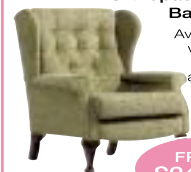
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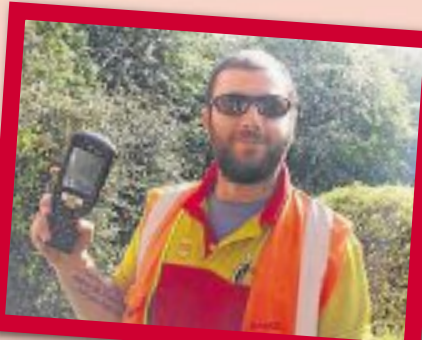


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## Scanner



Must Have this week is with DHL courier Service, Chris Swain.

Chris's must have is his scanner which he needs for every delivery.

He said: "As a customer you can book a delivery on this in five minutes. You sign for your package with it. If I left it with a neighbour it shows proof of delivery and where the package is and it is also a tracker so it can tell I am outside number 17 rather than number 18."

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Stop Rail Central tweeted: "For updates on our campaign to stop Ashfield Land building a rail freight interchange between Blisworth and Milton Maslor."

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## BLOGGER OF THE WEEK

### Spread litter-free zones

### Cllr Enam Haque

This week's blogger of the week is Councillor Anamul Haque (Enam) who represents The Castle Ward on Northampton Borough Council.



Over the next year or so the Borough Council will be giving serious thought as to what to do about Environmental Services.

In 2011 Northampton Borough Council and Daventry District Council signed a seven year deal with Enterprise to run Environmental Services, which includes bin collections.

Back in 2011 Labour opposed this privatisation saying it would not deliver a cleaner or greener town.

I will let readers make up their own minds whether it has or not.

A cleaner and greener environment is better for public health and quality of life.

Litter attracts all sorts of vermin.

People in the area I represent are fed up to the back teeth of seeing fly tipping on their streets.

People want to be proud of the area in which they live but when they continuously see piles of rubbish on the pavement and in parks they find this very difficult.

As a borough councillor I spend good amount of my time reporting

rubbish and fly tipping, as do my ward colleagues Muna Cali and Danielle Stone.

My Labour Group colleague, Rufia Ashraf has come up with the interesting idea of making a "Litter Free Zone" in St. James.

It is based on the idea everyone working together can make a real difference.

I would like to see every community eventually become a 'Litter Free Zone' including those in Castle Ward.

The cuts in public spending haven't helped matters.

For instance, there is no longer a universal free pest control service or a bulky waste collection.

Only a few years ago it was free but now you have to pay and opening hours at our waste collection sites have been reduced.

So Northampton Borough Council is now wondering what to do with Environmental Services when the present contract comes to an end.

Now is the time to start thinking how we can all make our communities cleaner and greener.

## Your views



### Anger at letter calling to 'drive out street people'

In response to the extract of John Wright's letter to the chief executive of Northampton Borough Council and Northampton South MP (in May 12 edition of H&P) – what sort of human being are you?

Your comments about driving out street people is disgusting.

Do you think these people enjoy using doorways to go to the toilet in?

Instead of moaning why don't you climb out of your ivory tower and do something to help these people and improve their quality of life.

They are human beings that deserve our help.

The politicians you covet so much do not care about your opinions, only spending our money.

It is time you and people like you pulled your heads from your backsides and made the world we live in a better place. It costs nothing to be a decent human being.

A lesson you have clearly missed - it must be hard work being as perfect as you are.

James Rogers  
On Facebook

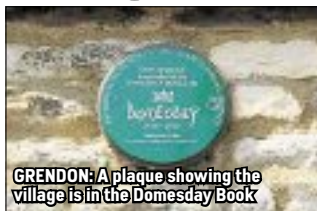


## Lunchtime Life

Everyday life's little curiosities snapped this week. Send yours to [news@hpnorthants.co.uk](mailto:news@hpnorthants.co.uk)



GRENDON: A house which has kept the old pub frontage



GRENDON: A plaque showing the village is in the Domesday Book



KEYSTON: Picturesque view of St John the Baptist Church in the village

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# Flying docs hit the road

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A new lifesaving night-time car service is being launched by the air ambulance.

The vehicle (pictured below) will take over from the air ambulance when darkness falls and will operate until around 2am every day.

Richard Clayton, director of operations for Warwickshire & Northamptonshire Air Ambulance, said: "This new service will undoubtedly save lives.

"It means the expertise of our highly trained team of trauma doctors and critical care paramedics who normally fly on the helicopter during daylight, will be available at night.

"We looked at extending the operating hours of the helicop-

ter after dark, but it makes much more sense at this time to use a rapid response vehicle.

"Helicopters are severely restricted to where they can land at night, which means it could take longer to get to patients; or we might not be able to get to them at all.

"Local roads are much clearer in the evening and our pilot project demonstrated that we can reach a lot more people at night by car than by helicopter."

The service, which launches this month, will carry all the equipment used on the helicopter. It will be unveiled on Saturday at Wyevale Garden Centre in Wootton from 1pm to 3pm.

To fund the initiative the charity launched an appeal to meet the £69,000 set-up cost.

## AIR AMBULANCE MISSION REPORT



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# Verity is leading mayor's big year

BY LAWRENCE JOHN

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The new Mayor of Northampton knows in the next 12 months he will be upstaged at every event he attends by his eight-year-old guide dog Verity, and he is very happy for this to happen.

Cllr Christopher Malpas will today become the 776th mayor of the town, while his wife Lynne will become Mayoress, but both will be outshone by the Golden Labrador.

Cllr Malpas has already had a taste of this while he was deputy mayor and as a councillor.

He said when he walked into a room the first thing he could hear was 'how are you Verity?' followed by 'how are you Cllr Malpas?'

The new mayor, who is severely sight impaired, has been the first to admit if it was not for his guide dog he would not have the independent life he has now - one which so many people take for granted.

He has been losing his sight for a number of years and said the only way he has coped with the deterioration of his vision was by adapting.

He said: "At school I would sit near the front or sit where the light was better to see what was going on. I don't know really how I have coped, I just have, and adapted. I use coloured paper as it does not reflect as much light as white so I use yellow paper.

"I use a voice text so I know it is writing the right words and I use a screen magnifier.

"And what Verity has done is



MAN'S BEST FRIEND:  
Cllr Christopher  
Malpas with Verity

give me my independence as without her I would have to use a long white cane and that is something I would have no confidence in. I have every confidence in Verity. She is my lifeline.

"What Verity does for me is guide me around things and keep me out of danger and keep me safe."

When it was first suggested to Cllr Malpas he needed a guide dog, he resisted and said there were people more deserving than him but slowly he came around to the idea.

And even if he was, as he says, 'nagged into it', taking on a guide dog is one of the best decisions he has made.

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## 'There's a helicopter in my car park!'



UNUSUAL SIGHT: The air ambulance landed in an empty B&M store car park

An air ambulance landed in a shop car park after it was scrambled to a patient who had collapsed at a gym on Tuesday morning.

Quick-thinking staff at Lings Forum Gym used a defibrillator on the man - who had suffered a cardiac arrest - before crews from the Derbyshire, Leicestershire & Rutland Air Ambulance crew arrived.

They were called to reports of an elderly man suffer-

ing a cardiac arrest and rushed to the nearby car park at the B&M Store next to Weston Favell Shopping Centre.

After arriving at the scene at around 8.30am, alongside police and ambulance crews, they attended to the man - before returning to the helicopter and leaving the scene shortly before 9am.

The patient was then taken to Kettering General Hospital in a land ambulance.

B&M store manager Paul Harris said: "It was a bit of a shock driving towards the store and seeing a helicopter landing in your car park!"

"It was a fantastic sight, but we hope the man will be okay."

A spokesman for the gym said: "As far as we have been told, the man is doing well in hospital."

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# Iconic landmark

BY LAWRENCE JOHN

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A Northampton icon has turned 80.

The grand old lady of the town is none other than The Deco.

Before the building shut in the 1990s it had been known as The Savoy, ABC and Cannon Cinema.

After a period of neglect, the site was bought in 2000 and re-opened as The Deco in October 2004.

However the history of the listed building is forever etched and intertwined with the personal stories of Northamptonians.

This was the building which in 1963 you could have seen The Beatles play twice in the same year and two years later in 1965 see the only appearance in Northampton of the Rolling Stones (the poster is pictured right).

**'SUPER CINEMA':**  
The building started life as The Savoy in 1936



The original building was designed by William Riddell Glenn (1884-1950).

The Savoy was owned by The ABC Group and Glenn was the company's in-house architect.

It was constructed in nine months over the winter of 1935/36.

The company which built it was A.R. Glen and Sons, based in Chaucer Street, Kingsley Park, Northampton.

At a time of high unemployment using local firms was a big boost to the economy.

The Savoy featured an Art Deco auditorium which is still there today.

The Art Deco-style of design was popular in the 1920s, 30s and 40s.

The Savoy opened its doors for the first time on May 2, 1936.

Its first manager was T.B. Purdie, who came to Northampton from Ipswich, where he had held the same position at the town's Hippodrome cinema.

The official opening ceremony was led by



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a three screen cinema complex and became Cannon Cinema in the 1980s. The building closed in 1995 when it struggled to compete with the modern multiscreen complexes.

Pulp Fiction, Terminal Velocity and Just Cause were the films being shown before it shut its doors.

In 2000 the building was bought by the Jesus Army Charitable Trust and re-opened as The Deco in October 2004.

Stage Right began running The Deco as a fully functional theatre in 2009 and its first production was the pantomime Peter Pan.

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Northampton MP Sir Mervyn Manningham-Buller.

And the first film to be shown there was Broadway Melody, starring Eleanor Powell and Robert Taylor, with three daily performances at 2.30pm, 5.30pm and 8.30pm.

On opening, The Savoy was hailed as 'Northampton's only super cinema'.

There was seating capacity for 1,954 people – 1,258 in the stalls, and 696 in the circle. It now seats up to 900 people.

If you had a car, there was a car park next to The Savoy

for 750 vehicles. Another feature was the in-house Compton organ which entertained audiences during the interludes.

In 1961 The Savoy was renamed ABC as part of corporate re-branding.

In 1974 it was converted to

**IN THE BAND:** The Beatles  
on stage at ABC in 1963



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**GOOD YARN:** Pupils at Huxlow Science College are knitting squares for blankets at the baby unit at KGH



## Knitting for the baby unit at KGH

Students have caught knitting fever.

The year seven pupils from Huxlow Science College in Irthlingborough have been learning how to 'knit one pearl one' as they get creative for a very good cause.

The group have spent some of their tutor time learning how to knit.

They are starting with squares which will be sewn together to make baby blankets.

These will be donated to the Special Care Baby Unit at Kettering General Hospital (KGH) by Mrs Wright, the pastoral leader for year seven.

She has been encouraging the whole school community to contribute to this cause close to her heart.

The Special Care Baby Unit at KGH has 18 cots with four designated to intensive care, six to high dependency and eight for special care. It can

admit babies from 26 weeks of age and treat babies who are premature or need special treatment for various conditions.

The unit has parent facilities where mums and dads can stay if their baby is really poorly which includes two bedrooms, a sitting room and bathroom.

Harley, one of the students involved in the knitting class, said: "It's very frustrating learning to knit but it's worth it because it's for a really good cause. If I finish my square by 2020 I'll be impressed!"

Most of the class were trying knitting for the first time but some were able to help their classmates learn.

Grace, who has also been taking part, said: "My nan taught me to knit and she has already made five squares for the blankets."

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## And he's off...

H&P Editor Steve Scoles is cycling from London to Paris for Cynthia Spencer Hospice. He started yesterday and has four days to complete the 300 mile journey

I have been training for the trip for several months, assisted by Trilogy Gyms and fitness instructor Martin Cole who runs Thai Bo classes at Mounts Gym in Northampton.

The big day is finally here and I'm nervous but eager to get on with it.

People have been so generous donating via my Just Giving page.

I want to thank everyone and remind people that they can still donate,

including by text. There are a lot of cyclists taking part for various causes and a couple of us doing it for Cynthia Spencer.

We started at Crystal Palace on May 18 at 7am and the first objective was to make it to Dover by 5pm. Day one cycling was around 90 miles.

We then have three days of around 60 to 70 miles each day, culminating in us arriving at the Eiffel Tower on Saturday

afternoon. Until this year, most of my cycling has been on mountain bikes and I must admit I have a new found respect for 'roadies' and the distances they cover without breaking sweat.

This is going to be tough. I'll keep readers updated with Tweets from my @stevescoles account and round-ups each day on a live blog on our website, [www.northampton-news-hp.co.uk](http://www.northampton-news-hp.co.uk)





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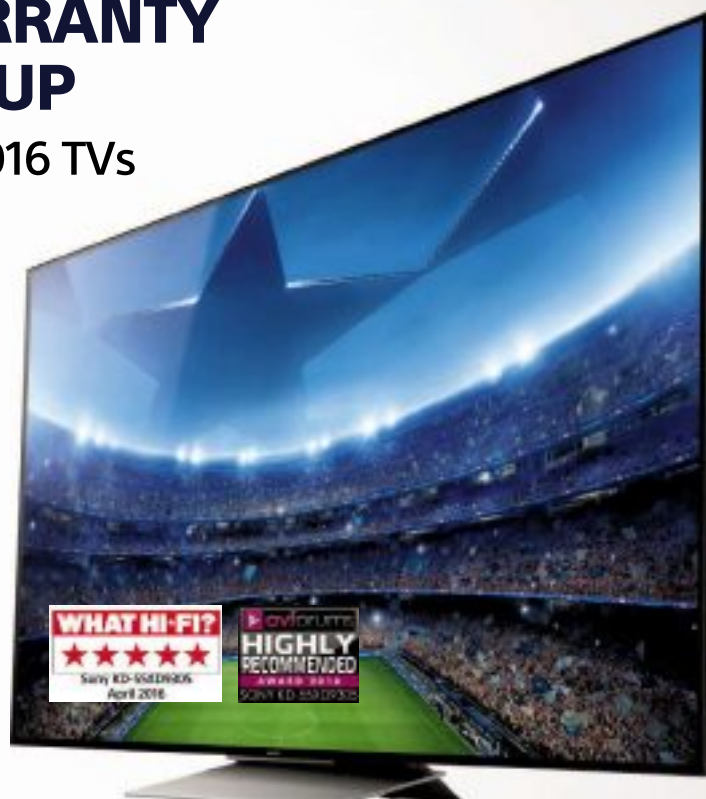


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**Northants' Best Hairdresser**  
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**SIMPLY THE BEST:** Ory Anthony (seated), his team of stylists at the shop in Rushden and H&P sales rep Gemma Neill (centre)

## A cut above the rest

BY LAWRENCE JOHN  
[lawrence.john@hpnorthants.co.uk](mailto:lawrence.john@hpnorthants.co.uk)

**A barber with 13 years experience has been crowned Northants' Best Hairdresser.**

The award – handed out by the Northants Herald & Post – was given to Ory Anthony after being voted top of the crops in an online poll by readers of the newspaper.

Becoming a barber meant he was following in his dad Tony's footsteps who had been a barber for 60 years.

Ory, 27, joked that growing up to be a barber was 'inevitable, really'.

So the young stylist has

followed in the family tradition and continued the family business.

After starting out with a shop in Bedford, he opened up a shop in Rushden High Street.

Speaking about getting this award, Ory said: "As a team we have achieved a lot in the last two years."

"What we have always strived for is taking what we do to the next level."

His Rushden shop is called Ory Anthony and comes with the motto 'Next Level of Hair Design'.

It also uses the colour purple which is Ory's modern theme.

He explained one of the reasons for moving was a lot of his clients were travelling from Northants to Bedford so he decided to jump across the border.

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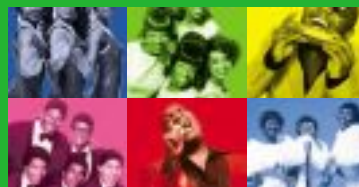
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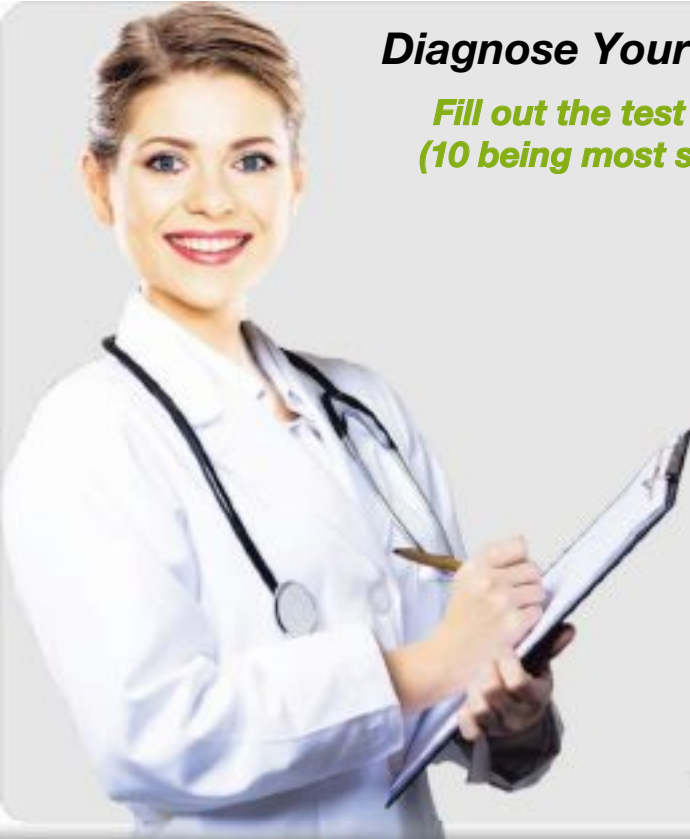
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incidents in Leicestershire, Surrey, Cambridgeshire, Surrey and Hertfordshire.

Sergeant Micki Simons, said: "In both Northants incidents, the offender took the purse, took cash and bank cards and dumped the purse nearby. Money was then withdrawn from the bank accounts."

## Police step up fight against bogus callers

**BY NICHOLAS BIEBER**  
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**Northamptonshire Police have teamed up with Anglian Water to wage a new war on distraction burglars.**

'I'm from the Waterboard' is a common ploy used by offenders to get into people's homes even though the service hasn't existed for more than 40 years.

The force is now promoting a scheme run by the town's water supplier to help tackle this type of crime.

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Carys Jones, of Anglian Water, said: "We want all of our customers to feel safe in their own home which is why it's important they know what to expect from a real Anglian Water employee."

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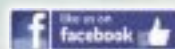
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THIS bay leaf bowl is designed as a table top piece rather than for holding your cornflakes. Price: £60 from [www.in-spaces.com](http://www.in-spaces.com)



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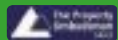
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- Extended semi-detached Bungalow
- Three Bedrooms
- Lounge
- Fitted Kitchen
- Bathroom and Shower room



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- Three Bedrooms
- Lounge / Diner
- Kitchen
- Majority Double Glazing



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- Stunning Rear Views Over Countryside
- Three Bathrooms



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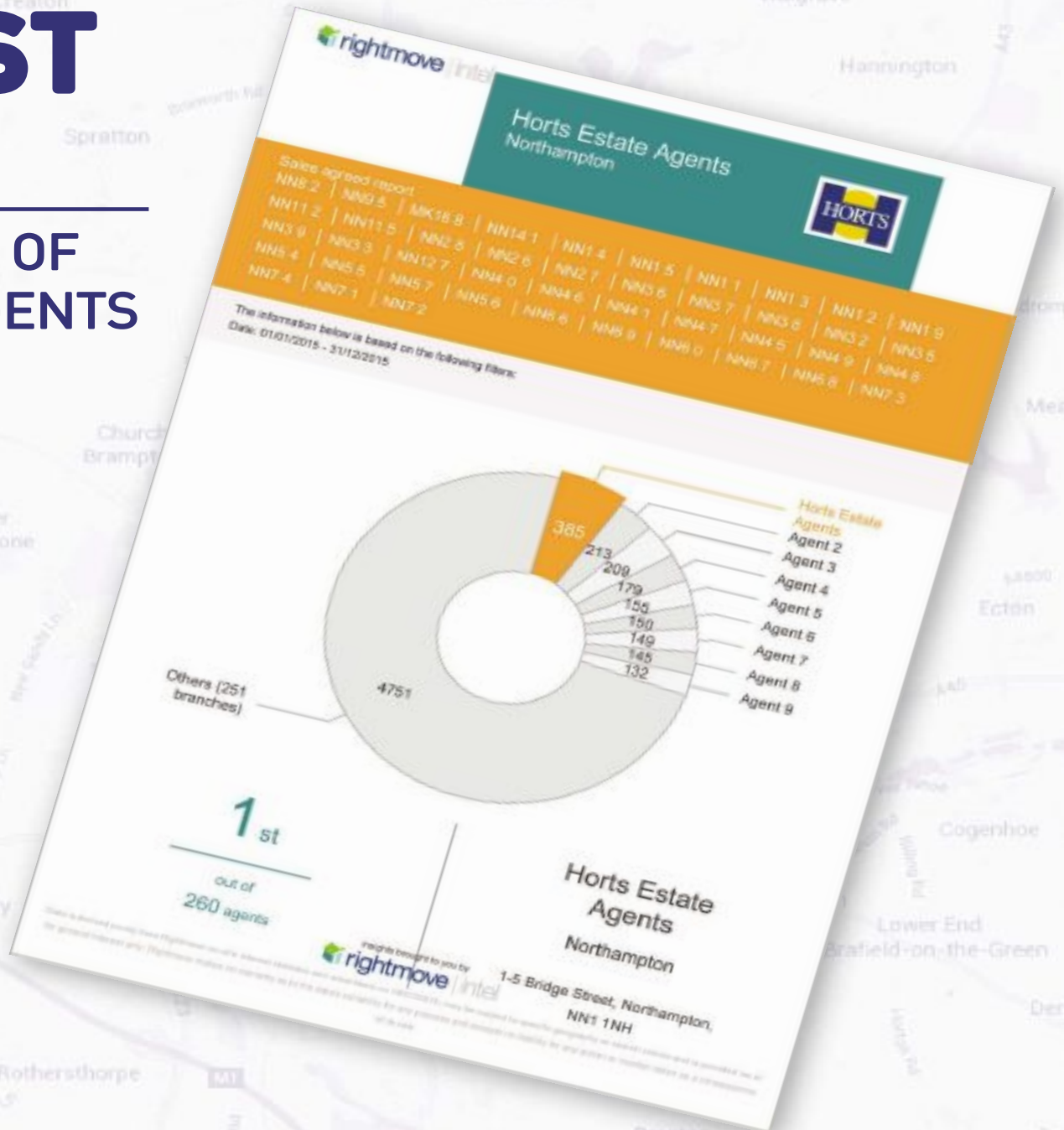


- Energy Efficiency Rating : D
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- Exclusive Development
- Four Bedrooms
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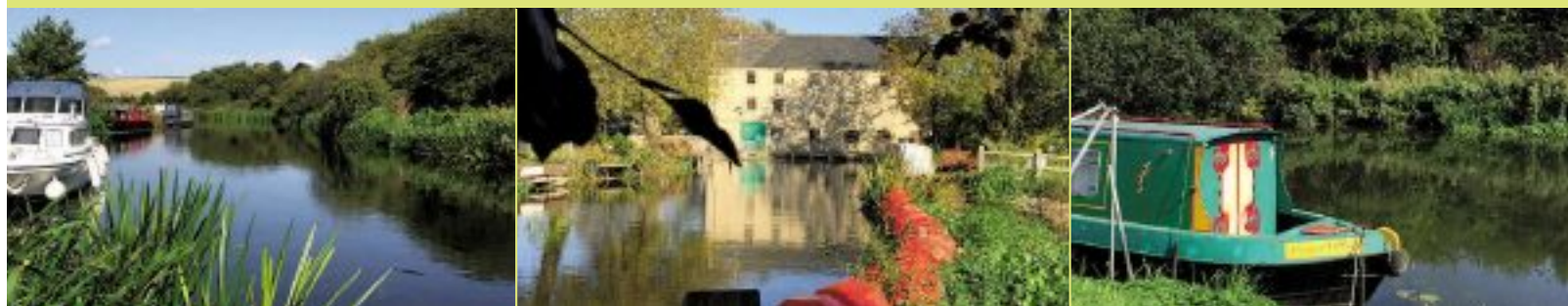
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**Moulton £350,000**

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Beautifully refurbished and extended by the current owners is this two bedroom detached bungalow set back from the popular address Park View. The property boasts large and private gardens, fantastic decorative order, kitchen-family room, en suite to master, off road parking for several cars and a detached garage.

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**Duston £179,995**

01604 755757



A very well presented two bedroom bungalow with a garage. The bungalow has been tastefully decorated and modernised throughout. Comprises entrance hall, lounge, two bedrooms, refitted bathroom, kitchen, conservatory with door leading to a patio area. Further benefits from gas central heating, UPVC windows and doors where specified and off road parking.

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**Flore £225,000**

01327 842093



A two bedroom semi-detached house situated in a lovely quiet position on the edge of the village. It has a large hall, 27ft lounge/dining room, kitchen, bathroom and two first floor bedrooms. There is a large established garden, garage and parking. The property has UPVC double glazing, radiator heating and solar panels. No onward chain.

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**East Hunsbury OIEO £240,000**

01604 633122



An extended four bedroom detached home benefitting from a ground floor extension and now offers a lounge, kitchen, dining room and cloakroom to the ground floor, whilst upstairs boasts four bedrooms and a shower room. Outside offers front and rear gardens with a garage and driveway also to the rear.

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**Southfields £207,000**

01604 784990



A very smartly presented three bedroom detached property nicely positioned at the end of a no through road. The property as has most windows and doors replaced as well as a new bathroom. Early viewing is highly recommended.

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**The Headlands £229,995**

01604 231111



An immaculately presented three bedroom bay fronted home, situated in the Headlands. The property benefits from a 17ft refitted kitchen-diner, refitted four piece bathroom suite, neutral decor throughout and large rear garden. Early viewing is essential.

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**Kingsthorpe £324,995**

01604 722197



Jackson Grundy are pleased to bring to market this rarely available, three bedroom, double bay fronted, 1930's built semi detached family home, that has been well kept by the current owner for the past 70 years. Ideally located in Kingsthorpe Village makes this a 'Must See' property.

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**Kingsley £107,500**

01604 715000



A rarely available two bedroom first floor flat situated in the popular Poets Corner area close to local amenities. The accommodation comprises community entrance hall, entrance hall, lounge/dining room, kitchen, two bedrooms and a bathroom. Outside there is off road parking and communal gardens. The property benefits from gas radiator heating, UPVC double glazing and no onward chain.

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**St James £159,995**

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A three bedroom Victorian style terrace home fronting onto Victoria Park and offering no onward chain.

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**Abington £167,000**

NEW

01604 231111



A Victorian home situated close to town centre, and hospital. Ground floor: hall, two reception rooms, modern fitted kitchen, utility area and lean-to. Upstairs: two ample double bedrooms and bathroom. Other benefits: cellar with improved specification, sunny, west facing courtyard garden, central heating, double glazing.

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**Ecton Brook £164,950**

NEW

01604 784990



A two (formerly three) bedroom detached property with off road parking, garage and gardens. There are two double bedrooms, a lounge and a kitchen/diner. Windows and doors are double glazed where specified and there is gas radiator heating.

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**Poets Corner £159,995**

NO CHAIN

01604 715000



A two bedroom Victorian terrace property in the heart of Poets Corner. Benefits from uPVC double glazing, gas radiator heating and good size rear garden. Entrance hall, lounge/dining room, kitchen and utility room. Upstairs are two double bedrooms and a bathroom. Tenant in situ. Suitable for buy to let only.

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**Kingsthorpe £129,995**

NEW

01604 722197



A well presented two bedroom apartment with allocated parking and ensuite to master bedroom. Comprises entrance hall with storage cupboard, bathroom, bedroom two, master bedroom with ensuite and Juliet balcony, there is an open plan kitchen/lounge/diner. Further benefits include uPVC windows and doors where specified.

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**Berrydale £230,000**

NEW

01604 784990



A rarely available two bedroom detached bungalow, offered for sale with no onward chain. Entrance hall, lounge, dining room, kitchen, two bedrooms and a shower room. All windows and doors are double glazed and there is gas radiator heating. Outside is a driveway, double garage and rear garden.

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**Milton Malsor Offers Over £300,000**

NEW PRICE

01604 633122



A four bedroom detached family home which has been improved by opening the kitchen through to the dining room, further hallway and lounge. Upstairs offers four bedrooms including an ensuite shower room to the master bedroom and a family bathroom. There is a recently refitted gas boiler, a single integral garage and driveway.

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**Duston £375,000**

01604 755757



Occupying a large plot with ample off road parking is this four bedroom family home. The property has been very well maintained inside and out and boasts gas radiator heating, replacement doors and windows, wall cavity insulation and extended detached double garage with electric up and over door.

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**Blisworth £349,995****SSTC**

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**Sale Agreed.  
Similar Properties  
Required.**

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**Kingsthorpe £159,995**

01604 722197



A two bedroom mid terrace bungalow offered to the market with no onward chain and in need of light modernisation. Entrance hall, lounge/diner, kitchen, shower room and two bedrooms. Outside there is a nicely enclosed rear garden and a well maintained frontage. The property further benefits from uPVC double glazing (where specified) and gas radiator heating.

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**Broad Street £115,000****SSTC**

01604 633122



**Sale Agreed.  
Similar Properties  
Required.**

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**Duston £279,995****NEW PRICE**

01604 755757



A brand new four bedroom detached family home pleasantly situated in a cul de sac comprising entrance hall, downstairs WC, lounge and kitchen/diner. Upstairs is the modern family bathroom and four bedrooms with the master benefiting from an ensuite. Outside to the front has a block paved driveway, enclosed rear landscaped garden. Benefits include gas radiator heating, uPVC doors, windows, soffits and fascias, no upper chain and 10 years building warranty.

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**Abington £269,995****NEW**

01604 231111



A spacious and smartly presented four bedroom bay fronted town house. Comprises entrance hall, sitting room, dining room, 18ft kitchen-breakfast room to the ground floor. Three bedrooms and four piece bathroom to the first floor. On the second floor is a further double bedroom. Outside are low maintenance gardens to front and rear. In addition the property is fully double glazed and has gas radiator heating.

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**Cogenhoe £299,995**

01604 784990



A rare opportunity to acquire a three bedroom detached bungalow that backs onto green fields. The L shaped lounge/dining room is 22'5 x 17'6 and the master bedrooms has an en-suite shower room. All windows and doors are double glazed. Early viewing is advised to avoid disappointment.

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**Long Buckby £187,500****NEW**

01327 842093



A modern three bedroom terrace house situated in a quiet cul-de-sac just a short walk from the village centre and many amenities. The accommodation comprises a porch, inner hall, lounge, kitchen/dining room, three bedrooms and a bathroom. There are front and rear gardens plus two parking spaces. The property has UPVC double glazing throughout.

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**Brixworth £162,995**

01604 494600



A semi detached two bedroom bungalow offered for sale with no chain. Boasts conservatory, extension creating second bedroom, radiator heating and off road parking. Porch, entrance hall, kitchen, living room, dining area, conservatory, master bedroom, bedroom two and family bathroom. Outside are front and rear gardens with driveway providing parking for two cars.

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**The Mounts £114,995****NEW PRICE**

01604 633122



A large two double bedroom apartment set over two floors. Entrance hall, kitchen, large lounge/dining room and bathroom. The second floor consists of two bedrooms, one of which has a shower and sink. Outside has a garden backing onto the racecourse. No chain.

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**Abington £234,995****NEW PRICE**

01604 715000



A three bedroom semi detached family home situated on a very desirable road. Benefits from uPVC double glazing (where specified), gas radiator heating, open fire, original doors, enclosed front garden and enclosed, good sized, mature and well stocked rear garden with electric roller door providing access to service road at rear.

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**Kingsthorpe £159,995**

01604 722197



A well-presented, extended three bedroom mid-terrace property comprising entrance hall, lounge/dining room, kitchen and bathroom. Upstairs are three double bedrooms. Front and rear gardens. Further benefits include UPVC double glazing (where specified) and gas radiator heating with a combination boiler which is serviced regularly. An ideal purchase for a first time buyer.

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**Sywell £299,995****NEW**

01604 494600



Set in a semi rural location and with fields to the side and rear is this well presented two bedroom detached bungalow in Sywell. This bungalow boasts, large frontage with driveway, kitchen diner, en suite to master, and private rear garden with a fantastic garden room.

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**Ravensthorpe Guide Price £220,000****NEW**

01327 842093



A rarely available two bedroom detached bungalow. It has a large hall, lounge, kitchen/dining room, two double bedrooms and a re-fitted shower room. Outside there is parking for two cars, garage and rear garden. The property has UPVC double glazing (where specified), heating and has no upward chain.

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**Duston £179,995****NEW**

01604 755757



A well proportioned two bedroom detached bungalow on a generous corner plot, in the popular location of Duston. Accommodation comprises entrance hall, lobby, lounge, kitchen, shower room and two bedrooms. Outside are gardens to front, rear and side with off road parking and a single garage. No onward chain.

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**Weston Favell £249,995**

01604 784990



A rarely available three bedroom semi-detached bungalow with a 17'0 x 12'4 conservatory and a horseshoe driveway providing off road parking for at least four cars. The bungalow is in need of modernisation and is offered for sale with no onward chain.

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**Abington £375,000****NEW**

01604 231111



Imposing bay fronted semi conveniently situated for the Park and Boys school. Ground floor: entrance hall, large lounge, kitchen/diner, utility wc and conservatory. First floor: four bedrooms and family bathroom. Second floor: attic bedroom with ensuite. Outside: front and rear gardens, oversized double garage accessed from rear, double glazing, central heating. Would make a fantastic family home

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PRICE



**Duston | £375,000**

Four Bedroom Detached Property  
Extensively Refurbished  
Huge Plot  
EPC Rated D

Double Garage  
Gas Radiator Heating  
Double Glazing Where Specified  
Pleasant Cul-De-Sac Location

**Duston**

**01604 591066**



**Northampton | £179,950**

Two Double Bedrooms  
Large Kitchen Dining Room  
Open Plan Living Space  
EPC Rated E  
Ensuite To Master  
Communal Parking

**Northampton 01604 633272**



**Northampton | £112,500**

Second Floor Apartment  
Spacious Lounge/Dining Room  
Separate Kitchen  
EPC Rating D  
Open Fireplace  
Town Centre Location

**Northampton 01604 633272**



**West Hunsbury | £310,000**

Detached Bungalow  
Three Bedrooms  
Re-fitted Kitchen  
EPC Rated D  
Shower Room & Family Bathroom  
Garage

**Northampton 01604 633272**



NEW

**Eastfield | £139,950**

Two Bedroom Mid-Terrace  
Very Well Presented  
Spacious Reception Room  
EPC Rating C  
Popular Residential Location  
Nearby Eastfield Park

**Abington 01604 217222**



NEW

**Semilong | £139,995**

Three Bedroom HMO  
Spacious Lounge/Diner  
Courtyard Garden  
EPC Rating D  
Gas Central Heating  
Shower Room

**Northampton 01604 633272**



NEW  
PRICE

**Kingsthorpe Village | £239,995**

Three Bedrooms  
Detached Property  
Single Garage  
EPC Rated D

**Kingsthorpe**



Conservatory  
Re-Fitted Bathroom  
Off Street Parking  
Large Kitchen / Dining Room

**01604 718392**



NEW

**Kingsthorpe | £179,995**

Semi Detached Dorma Bungalow  
Three Bedrooms  
Off Street Parking  
EPC Awaited

**Kingsthorpe**



Refitted Kitchen Breakfast Room  
Private Rear Garden  
Lounge / Dining Room  
Double Glazed Throughout

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NEW



**Weston Favell | £240,000**

Fantastic Family Home  
Three Double Bedrooms  
Less Than 5 Years Old  
EPC Rating B

Immaculately Presented  
Garage and Off-Road Parking  
Private Rear Garden  
Nearby Local Schools

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NEW PRICE



**St Crispins | £160,000**

Two Double Bedrooms  
Ensuite Shower Room  
Top Floor Apartment  
EPC Rated C  
Allocated Parking  
Balcony

Duston 01604 591066

NEW



**Briar Hill | £140,000**

Three Bedroom Mid Terrace  
Re-Fitted Kitchen  
UPVC Double Glazing  
EPC Rating Awaiting  
Gas Central Heating  
Front And Rear Gardens

Northampton 01604 633272



**Overstone Park | Offers Over £125,000**

Three Bedroom Lodge  
Stunning Views  
Leisure Club  
Energy Rating C  
Potential Rental Unit  
Lounge / Diner

Northampton 01604 633272



**Upton Grange | £192,500**

Three Bedrooms  
Semi Detached House  
Cul-De-Sac Location  
EPC Rated D  
Conservatory  
Fantastic Transport Links

Duston 01604 591066

NEW



**Abington | £90,000**

In Need of Modernisation  
Great Investment Opportunity  
Two Double Bedrooms  
EPC Awaiting  
Communal Parking  
Walking Distance to Hospital

Abington 01604 217222

NEW PRICE



NEW



**Far Cotton | £205,000**

Very Well Presented  
Three Bedrooms  
Semi Detached  
EPC Rated F

Northampton



Re-fitted Kitchen  
Large Rear Garden  
Close To Town Center  
Modern Bathroom Suite

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**Great Houghton | £675,000**

Open Plan Contemporary Layout  
Six Bedrooms  
Studio/Games Room  
EPC Rated C

Northampton



Ample Off Road Parking  
Gated Electric Parking  
Popular Village Location  
Countryside Views

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NEW



**Duston | £255,000**

Three Bedroom Detached  
Immaculately Presented  
Fantastic Corner Plot  
EPC Rating B

Garage and Car Port  
Enclosed Rear Garden  
Views Over Green  
Good Transport Links

**01604 591066**



NEW



**Abington | £129,995**

Modern Top Floor Apartment  
Two Double Bedrooms  
Good Condition Internally  
EPC Rating C  
Allocated Parking  
Balcony

**Abington | 01604 217222**



**Semilong | £152,500**

Three Bedroom Terrace  
Spacious Living Accommodation  
Re-Fitted Bathroom  
EPC Rating D  
Near Train Station  
Close to Town Centre

**Northampton | 01604 633272**

NEW PRICE



**Kingsley | Offers Over £155,000**

Executive First Floor Apartment  
Two Allocated Parking Spaces  
Two Large Double Bedrooms  
EPC Rated C  
124 Year Lease  
Immaculately Presented

**Abington | 01604 217222**

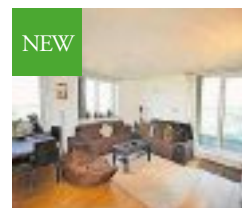


**Spinney Hill | £105,000**

Ground Floor Maisonette  
Two Double Bedrooms  
Popular Residential Location  
EPC Awaiting  
Spacious Reception Room  
Garage En Bloc

**Abington | 01604 217222**

NEW



**Northampton | £89,995**

Good Decorative Order  
Two Double Bedrooms  
En-suite Shower Room  
EPC Rating C  
Underground Parking  
Balcony

**Northampton | 01604 633272**



**Weston Favell | £175,000**

First Floor Apartment  
Over 60s Development  
Very Well Presented  
Lounge/Diner With Balcony

**Abington**



Stunning Kitchen  
EPC Rating B

**01604 217222**



**Moulton Village | Offers Over £300,000**

Three / Four Bedrooms  
Detached House  
Ample Off Street Parking  
EPC Rated D

**Kingsthorpe**



Village Location  
Private Rear Garden

**01604 718392**





**Abington | £995**

Four Double Bedrooms  
Modern Town House  
Fully Refurbished  
EPC Rated C

**Abington Lettings | 01604 217222**

Separate Garage  
Walking Distance To Town Centre  
Overlooking Green Space  
Near Northampton General Hospital



**Northampton | £695 pcm**

Two Bedrooms  
Separate Kitchen  
Close to Town Centre  
EPC Rating B  
Allocated Parking  
Gas Central Heating

**Northampton Lettings | 01604 633272**



**The Mounts | £895 pcm**

Four Bedrooms  
Three Storey Victorian Terrace  
Period Features  
EPC Rating G  
Rear Garden  
Close to Town Centre

**Northampton Lettings | 01604 633272**



**The Glades | £725 pcm**

Two Bedroom  
Semi Detached House  
Modern Fitted Kitchen  
EPC Rated D  
Garden  
Off Street Parking

**Northampton Lettings | 01604 633272**



**Little Billing | £550 pcm**

One Bedroom Maisonette  
Separate Kitchen  
Off Street Parking  
EPC Rating D  
Suitable for Professionals  
Fantastic Road Links

**Northampton Lettings | 01604 633272**



**Duston | £1,000 pcm**

Four Bedrooms  
Detached Property  
Separate Reception Rooms  
EPC Rated E  
Garage  
Off Street Parking

**Duston Lettings | 01604 591066**



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**Northampton | £725 pcm**

Three Bedroom House  
Victorian Terrace  
Low Maintenance Rear Garden  
EPC Rated E

**Northampton Lettings | 01604 633272**

Unfurnished  
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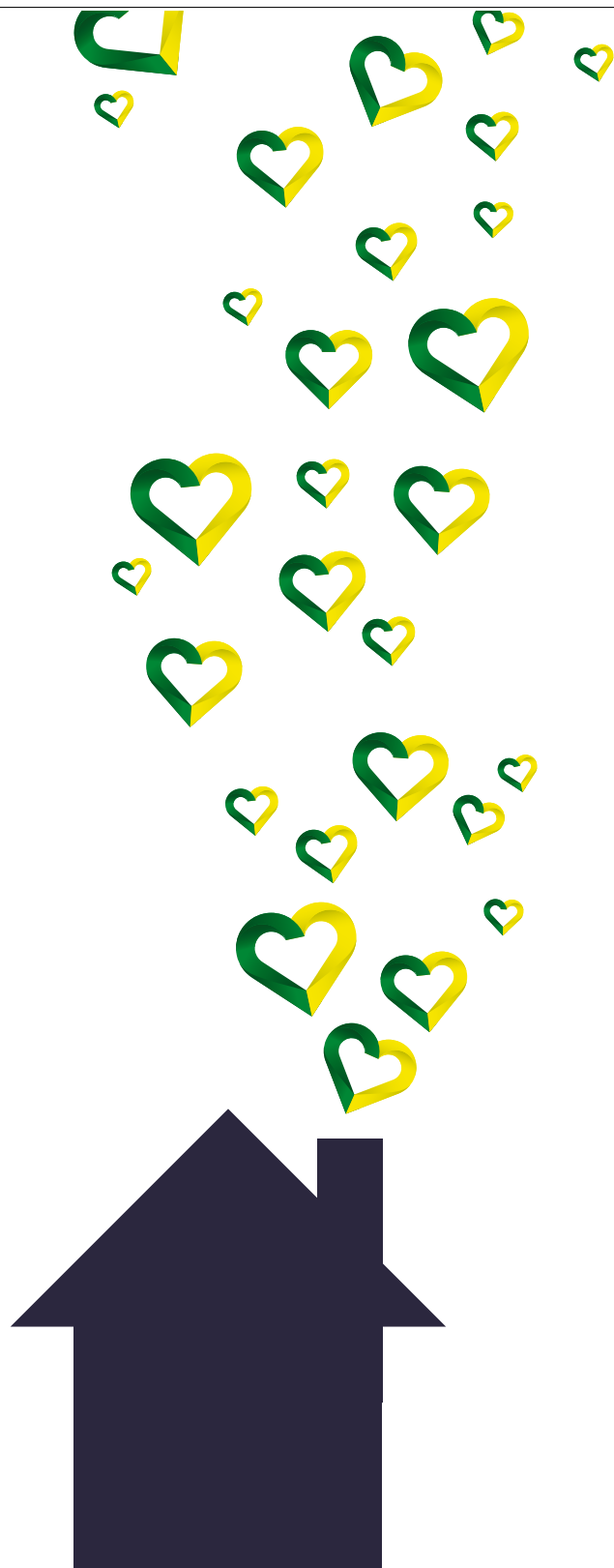
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## WHAT'S ON ROUND-UP

# All hail the ale at the Delapre beer festival

BY LAWRENCE JOHN

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It is all hail the ale and cheers for the beers at this year's Northampton County Beer Festival running at Delapre Abbey from today until Sunday.

Delapre is by far the biggest beer festival in the county with more than 150 different beers from 30 ale breweries, five local cider producers, two local gin producers, and wine, spirits and craft ales from around the world in the new Craft Beer Marquee.

All 20 independent commercial brewers from around Northants will be showcasing their range of beers and the Campaign for Real Ale will be awarding prizes in various categories as well as declaring an overall festival champion, last year won by Whistling Kite's Elanor's Ise.

There will be 41 acts appearing on two stages, including choirs, brass bands and Morris dancers along with many great bands, a great range of festival food stalls and a fairground for children and big kids.

A new range of Phipps alcoholic ice cream and sorbet will debut at the event, a joint venture with Gallone's combining two iconic Northampton firms



A classic Daimler Red Northampton Double Decker bus will ferry festival goers from the town centre to Delapre Abbey over the weekend, leaving from Phipps Albion Brewery Bar in

Kingswell Street on the hour.

The festival charity is Northants Guide Dogs for the Blind who will have a stall featuring Northampton Mayor Chris Malpas and his guide dog Verity.



## County's arts cinema listings this week

BY NICHOLAS BIEBER

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**Here are the listings for Northamptonshire arts cinemas this week:**

### Errol Flynn Filmhouse

■ Florence Foster Jenkins

The story of Florence Foster Jenkins, a New York heiress who dreamed of becoming an opera singer, despite having a terrible singing voice.

Today

■ Eye in the Sky

Tomorrow-Sunday, Wednesday

■ Demolition (pictured)

As an investment banker struggles after losing his wife in a tragic car crash, his increasingly confessional series of letters to a vending machine company catch the attention of a customer service rep with whom he forms an unlikely connection.

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■ Florence Foster Jenkins

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## WHAT'S ON ROUND-UP

### Concert celebrates world's leading drummers

Three of the world's top drummers will help pay tribute to Buddy Rich in The World's Greatest Drummer Concert.

Ian Palmer, Steve White and Pete Cater, along with this year's guest performer Keith Carlock, will join forces at Royal & Derngate on May 29 at 7.30pm.

The World's Greatest Drummer Concert was first staged on September 29, 2007, in Lichfield and the show has since grown into one of the most successful events on the drumming calendar.

It grew out of a friendship between Palmer and the late Jon Brookes of The Charlatans.

Ian and Jon loved listening to the great forefathers of modern drumming including Joe Morello, Tony Williams and, of course, Rich, who with his unmatched ability on the drum set was himself known as the world's greatest drummer. Buddy's title was the inspiration behind the name of this concert.

This is a unique event which brings together some of the UK's finest session musicians alongside some of the finest drumming talent there is.

Tickets cost £26 and £31 and can be booked by calling the box office on 01604 624811 or online at [www.royalandderngate.co.uk](http://www.royalandderngate.co.uk)



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## Jail and all that jazz as John heads to Chicago

BY LAWRENCE JOHN  
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'Murder, greed, corruption, exploitation, adultery and treachery... all those things we hold near and dear to our heart...' so begins the international award-winning musical *Chicago*.

Based on events in the roaring 1920s, nightclub singer Roxie Hart shoots her lover and along with cell block rival, double-murderess Velma Kelly, they fight to keep from death row with the help of smooth talking lawyer, Billy Flynn.

This spectacular show is coming to Northampton's Royal & Derngate from May 23 to 28.

It stars West End and former *EastEnders* actor John Partridge as Billy Flynn.

Partridge is probably best known for playing the role of Christian Clarke in *EastEnders*.

His many musical theatre credits include *Rum Tum Tugger* in *Cats* in the West End, on tour and in the official film of the show, John in *Miss Saigon* on the first UK national tour and most recently Zach in *A Chorus Line* at the London Palladium.

He was also a judge on BBC1's *Over the Rainbow*.

Partridge was last seen at Royal & Derngate playing Prince Charming in *Cinderella*.

The cast also includes Dancing On Ice winner and ex-Coronation Street star Hayley Tamaddon as Roxie Hart, and X Factor winner and a real life former prison warden Sam Bailey as Matron 'Mama' Morton.

The score includes All That Jazz, Cell Block Tango and We Both Reached for the Gun.

Tickets cost £17-£42.50 from 01604 624811 or [www.royalandderngate.co.uk](http://www.royalandderngate.co.uk).

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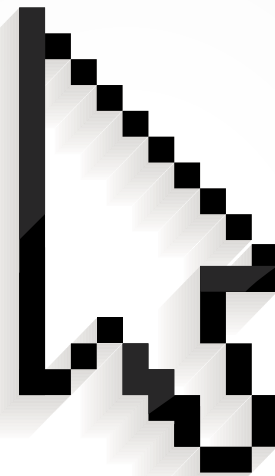
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### SATURDAY

#### Comedy club at Kettering Arts Centre

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#### Roy Chubby Brown at Kettering Lighthouse

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### SUNDAY

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Car SOS

When I recorded Car SOS on the National Geographic Channel I thought it was a new programme not the same set up I had seen on Channel Four.

Much to my amazement it is the same programme just on a different channel.

The concept of the programme is good. Each week the dynamic duo of Tim Shaw and Fuzz Townsend repair and restore a car for a deserving owner.

The trouble is I can only watch it on fast forward. I enjoy it when mechanic Fuzz is explaining what is being done to the car and what needs to be done.

But when Tim is one screen I hit the fast forward button. I find his style of presenting irritating and annoying.

Too much of what he has either set up or been asked to do looks and sounds so false.

As a viewer I cannot be the only one who thinks this.

My Car SOS would be to jetison Tim, or least alter his presenting style.

Lawrence John

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## MOTORING NEWS

# Toyota's bold new concept

BY STEWART SMITH

TOYOTA has come up with a concept design that turns the GT86 sports car into an estate.

The prototype has been developed by Toyota Australia's design team and has been hand-built in Japan under the direction of Toyota's global sports car division.

The Shooting Brake concept, which adds new hatchback styling to the rear of the GT86, was unveiled in Sydney by GT86 chief engineer Tetsuya Tada.

Its designers say the lines of the prototype are still sporty, but it's more practical as it allows the roof to be used to carry surfboards, bikes or storage pods for a weekend away while the larger opening of the new boot enables much easier loading.

Mr Tada said he was inspired to support the project after being shown a one quarter-scale clay model of the concept during a visit to Australia in 2014.

At the world reveal he said: "It is a fully functioning, drivable vehicle that has been put through its paces on Toyota test tracks."

"The GT86's nicely weighted and direct steering ensures the car retains the coupe's involving driving experience with a slightly more neutral feel in tight



corners." Brad Cramb, of Toyota Australia, said the concept's shooting brake name reflected how the design gives the GT86 more rear head room and luggage space. He added: "The Toyota GT86 lends itself perfectly to a concept that expands its appeal

with added versatility, while retaining its sleek and sporty coupe styling and sharp, responsive driving character.

Mr Tada said Toyota wanted to gauge reaction to the concept, and although it has been produced as an internal design

study, there are no plans for production, but went on to say: "While we never say never, and I would love this concept to become a production reality, it is very much a concept that demonstrates the passion within Toyota for cars that are fun to drive."

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## Volkswagen Alltrack

## Take a look inside. . .

BY JOHN MURDOCH

VOLKSWAGEN finally launched the Golf Estate Alltrack in the UK last December - almost a year after other manufacturers in the VW Group had launched their offerings on the same platform.

Surprisingly the Golf Alltrack is having to play catch-up with the Skoda Octavia Scout and the Seat Leon X-Perience, its sibling rivals. Essentially VW has taken the popular Golf Estate and given it a macho makeover to turn it into the Alltrack.

As a result it is taller, has four-wheel-drive and boasts body cladding to protect it if owners want to take it onto the rough stuff. It comes in a variety of petrol or diesel engines and there is also a choice of manual or automatic gearboxes.

The suspension has been raised to cope with light off-road duties but this has not damaged the car's ride in any way and actually seems to have improved it.

The handling is also just as sharp and the four-wheel-drive system makes the Alltrack feel very secure in the wet.

This car came with the largest of the three diesel engines on offer, the 2.0-litre 184ps unit

coupled to the excellent DSG automatic gearbox.

It offers loads of torque and refinement and delivers its power quietly and without fuss.

As you would expect, economy does drop down to a claimed 57.6mpg from the 67mpg of the front-wheel-drive only Golf Estate but the good news is that you will get quite close to that figure.

The cabin is premium quality and provides comfort for five along with all the latest features for your convenience and the latest in-car entertainment and communication systems.

Standard equipment is generous and includes hill descent control, stop/start, full climate control, all-electric windows, folding electronic door mirrors with integrated indicators, a multifunction computer, misfuel prevention device, automatic driving lights, rain sensors and loads more.

The Alltrack also boasts all the very latest safety features and you can add other items from the options list.

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# Motoring News

## Kia Sportage named best diesel By: Stewart Smith

ONLY a few months after its launch the all-new Kia Sportage has been crowned with a significant accolade by becoming the Diesel Car Magazine Car of the Year. The fourth generation Sportage bettered the competition due to its excellent specification levels, even on low grade vehicles, including Bluetooth connectivity, DAB radio and satellite navigation. This coupled with its dynamic handling and distinctive design, made this family crossover a clear choice for the top spot. The Sportage was also voted the best medium sized SUV by the magazine. The Sportage strong points were its competitive prices with the range starting from £17,995 and the lead-in diesel, the 1.7 CRDi 6-speed manual version, at £19,745 - all covered by the brand's industry

leading seven year warranty. Kia's new crossover, which was introduced to the UK market in February, has already seen impressive sales success with more than 14,000 customers placing orders in just four months. Editor and publisher of Diesel Car, Ian Robertson, said: "The Sportage won the top spot because of its generous equipment levels, keen prices and excellent road manners, which means that the Sportage leapfrogs the competition to sit at the very top of the class." Paul Philpott, president and chief executive of Kia Motors (UK) said: "We are delighted and honoured to get this tremendous accolade from Diesel Car. Clearly new Sportage is a big winner with customers and Diesel Car's endorsement only reinforces the car's success."



## MINI Seven for Goodwood debut By: Stewart Smith

VISITORS to the Goodwood Festival of Speed next month will get the first look at the latest version of the MINI. It has been badged the MINI Seven, taking its name from the very first Mini, the 1959 Austin Seven, and has been developed to show the style inspired by the original Mini and the current take from BMW. The MINI Seven joins the current generation MINI hatchback range in five-door or three-door form with specially designed exterior and interior looks. The new offering will be recognisable by its 'MINI Yours' body finish which comes as standard in Lapisluxury Blue - a finish described as the most intensive blue tone so far applied to a MINI. Three other body colours from the MINI paint range are also available - Pepper White, Midnight Black and British Racing Green. A silver roof and exterior mirror caps also come as standard and so do MINI Seven door sill finishers and side scuttles with the Seven logo as well as 17-inch light alloy wheels in two-tone design. Inside, the design cues continue with sports seats in a fabric/leather finish called Diamond Malt Brown which has been designed exclusively for the MINI Seven. A 6.5-inch colour display screen also comes as standard alongside the MINI Connected system,



Bluetooth handsfree with USB audio, floor mats, automatic dual-zone air conditioning and a storage compartment pack. Additional optional equipment from the MINI range is available including a panoramic glass roof, windscreen heating, front driver and passenger seat heating, a Harmon Kardon hi-fi speaker system as well as the MINI Navigation System. Prices start from £18,545 for the three-door and from £19,145 for five-door model which are available in Cooper, Cooper D, Cooper S and Cooper SD specifications.

## RARE FORD ESCORT UP FOR SALE By: Stewart Smith



A VERY special 1979 Ford Escort Ghia, in time-warp condition and with less than 4,000 miles on the clock, will feature at the next Classic Car Auctions sale to be held at the Warwickshire Exhibition Centre. Looking as pristine as the day it left the factory 37 years ago, the 1.6-litre model has a fascinating history. Supplied new to its first owner the car was used mainly on trips to his holiday cottage.

Spending most of his time in London, the owner barely drove the Escort, keeping it safely in storage. Several years later, while enquiring at a local garage about replacing a windscreen wiper, the workshop took such an interest in car and its exceptional condition for its age that they went on to buy it. The car was then acquired by its current owner in 2013, still in immaculate condition, and it has been stored as part of a private collection since. Now offered for sale having spent the last two years in storage, the preserved, right-hand drive manual HR model will be offered with a price estimate of between £9,000 and £11,000. The Escort Ghia, with its characteristic square headlights, wooden fascia dashboard and velour interior with leather trim, would have been a sophisticated choice in 1979. Ford developed the Ghia specifically for the small, luxury car market. The car has a fresh MoT and will be accompanied by its history file and the original dealer handbook folder. The auction takes place on Saturday, June 18 at the Exhibition Centre near Leamington Spa.

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Very Clean .....**£1895**

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Personal Plate, 1 Owner From  
New, 70,298 miles E/W E/M A/C  
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### Petrol Selection

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57,819 Miles, 12 Months MOT C/L P/S E/M  
E/F/W Very Clean car .....**£1195**

**52 Volkswagen Lupo Se (50 BHP),** In Black,  
89,952 miles, 12 Months MOT, P/S Radio/Cd  
Player, Ideal First Car, Insurance Group 2, Clean  
car for year .....**£1195**

### Diesel Selection

**06 Vauxhall Vectra Club CDTi 8V,** In Grey,  
MOT January 2017, C/L P/S E/F/W E/M A/C A/W  
Some Service History, Excellent Car .....**£1595**

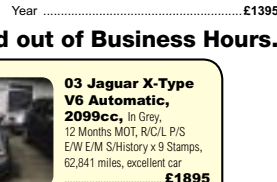
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# MOTORINGNEWS

## New Picasso on Citroen horizon By: Stewart Smith



NEW versions of the Citroen C4 Picasso and the bigger Grand C4 Picasso MPV are on the way. The C4 and Grand C4 Picassos have been given a new front end, new standard specification 3D-effect rear lights and 17-inch alloy wheels, plus a two-tone roof is available on the C4 Picasso five-seat and there is a new silver coloured roof bar option for Grand C4 Picasso, as well as three new body colours. Inside, the new models have been kitted out with a 3D Citroen Connect Nav system, which is combined with an updated seven-inch touchscreen. This new system also enhances the functionality of the 12-inch HD screen on the upper part of the dashboard. It also comes with a hands-free tailgate, which allows the driver to open the boot with a simple movement of their foot at the rear of the vehicle.

In addition the new C4s come with high tech gear including Speed Limit Sign Recognition, Adaptive Cruise Control, Lane Departure Warning, Active Safety Brake, Driver Attention Alert and Active Blind Spot Monitoring. The range is also being extended with new powertrains which include the 1.2-litre PureTech 130ps petrol engine with an automatic gearbox. Citroen says that fuel consumption for both the five and seven-seat models is rated at 55.4mpg with CO2 emissions of 115g/km. Prices for the new line up, which will be available come September, have yet to be announced.

## DS designs a cosmetics cracker

By: Mike Torpey



RACY car brand DS Automobiles and cosmetics company Givenchy are 'made up' with their collaboration that will see a fresh-faced new model hit the streets next month. It is called the DS 3 Givency Le MakeUp Limited Edition and has been created to highlight both French luxury and elegance in vehicle design. The newcomer, which will be on display first at a DS World Paris exhibition until June 7, will be available as a hatchback and a Cabrio, either with a manual gearbox or the latest EAT6 automatic transmission. Only 500 cars are up for grabs in the UK and all will be powered by the DS brand's PureTech 110 S&S 3-cylinder petrol engine. As more than half of all DS 3 drivers are women, the limited edition has been designed to meet the modern day woman's expectations. So a bespoke Givenchy Le MakeUp kit is stored in a special compartment in the driver's armrest and both vanity mirrors feature special LED lighting developed exclusively for the model. The car's unique styling includes a textured white body colour called Opaline White, while the exterior look is completed with Givenchy Le MakeUp door badges. Inside, there's a Rose Pink dashboard and black leather upholstery. DS says it has reinvented a matt finish on this car's bodywork, using a new paint process for the first time. The textured paint, not used by any other carmaker, has a granular feel and striking finish aimed at highlighting the lines of the car and contrasts with the Whisper Purple colour of the roof and door mirrors. Prices for the New DS 3 Givency Le MakeUp Limited Edition start from £19,395 for the hatchback and £21,695 for the Cabrio version.

## Nissan makes 50,000 Sunderland Leafs

By: Stewart Smith

THREE years after Nissan introduced electric vehicle and battery manufacturing to Europe, the 50,000th European-built LEAF has rolled off the company's production line in Sunderland. Manufactured in Nissan's flagship UK plant it is the first time a European car maker has built 50,000 electric vehicles and the batteries which power them. The silver, Tekna grade Nissan LEAF off the production line in Sunderland is destined for a customer in France. European-built Nissan LEAFs are currently exported to 23 global markets covering Western Europe and other destinations as diverse as Argentina, Iceland, Israel and Taiwan. Nissan LEAF and battery manufacturing was launched in the UK in 2013 and supports over 2,000 jobs at Nissan and in its UK suppliers.

Already 2016 is shaping up to be a landmark year for LEAF, with the extended-range LEAF introduced to Europe and the announcement that Nissan's future generation batteries are confirmed for production in Sunderland – a further £26.5 million investment in the plant. Paul Wilcox, chairman of Nissan Europe, said: "What Nissan is doing today with electric vehicle technology is more advanced than any other car manufacturer. "This milestone is another first for Nissan and for our team in Sunderland. No other brand has Nissan's experience or expertise in both battery and vehicle production, and I'm thrilled that over 50,000 customers in Europe share our vision for a zero emission future." Five years ago the Nissan LEAF became the first mass-market electric vehicle to go on sale and it remains the best-selling EV of all time with almost 220,000 vehicles sold worldwide. A more powerful 30kWh version of the Leaf with a range of up to 155 miles on a single charge was launched last year and in Britain is priced from £23,590 with the Government grant for electric vehicles.



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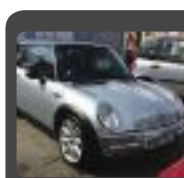
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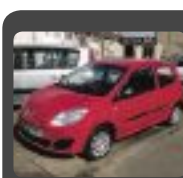
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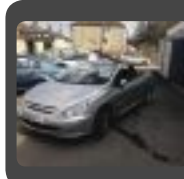
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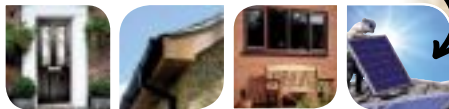


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## INSOLVENCY ACT 1986

IN BANKRUPTCY  
NORTHAMPTON COUNTY COURT

NO 371 of 1993 RE: DAVID JOHN BROOKS

Who at the date of the bankruptcy order 28/7/1993 resided at 1 Cardinal Close, East Hunsbury NN4 0RP.

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I intend to pay within four months from 10th June 2016 (being the last day for proving) the first and final dividend of 7 p/£.

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NO 897 of 2005 RE: JEAN KATHLEEN LOASBY

General Assistant, residing at 31 St Peter's Gardens, Weston Favell, Northampton NN3 3JT.

D.O.B: 11 December 1946

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I intend to pay within four months from 20th June 2016 (being the last day for proving) the first and final dividend of 17 p/£.

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NO 70880 of 2007 RE: MRS DOREEN BEATRICE PHILPOTT

Also known as Doreen Beatrice Minney and Doreen Beatrice Woolnough; who at the date of the bankruptcy order 31/5/2007 resided at 2 Woburn Court, Rushden, Northants NN10 9HL.

D.O.B: 14 October 1954

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I intend to pay within four months from 16th June 2016 (being the last day for proving) the first and final dividend of 4.59 p/£.

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NO 70302 of 2008 RE: DENISE DAPHNE BURGESS

Also known as Denise Daphne Cox; who at the date of the bankruptcy order 5/3/2008 resided at address withheld.

D.O.B: 25 July 1951

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NO 71301 of 2008 RE: JOANNA MARIE SMITH

Who at the date of the bankruptcy order 5/9/2008, an Office Administrator, resided at 52 Oriol Road, Steven Hill, Daventry, Northamptonshire NN11 4SP.

D.O.B: 21 November 1985

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NO 71443 of 2008 RE: MRS SAMANTHA PAMELA MAYES

Also known as Samantha Pamela Travell; who at the date of the bankruptcy order 2/10/2008 resided at 24 Lowry Close, Wellingborough, Northamptonshire NN8 4UY.

D.O.B: 14 February 1969

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Mr D Gibson, Official Receiver and trustee

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## NORTHAMPTON BOROUGH COUNCIL

TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT PROCEDURE) (ENGLAND) ORDER 2015  
NOTICE UNDER ARTICLE 13

PLANNING (LISTED BUILDINGS AND CONSERVATION AREAS) ACT 1990

THE TOWN &amp; COUNTRY PLANNING (ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT ASSESSMENT) REGULATIONS 2011

## APPLICATIONS FOR PLANNING PERMISSION

- N/2016/0351 Beaumont House, Cliftonville**  
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- N/2016/0421 80 Dunster Street**  
Change of use of existing dwelling to 3no. apartments and erect new dormer to front elevation. Within a Conservation Area.
- N/2016/0524 Rear of 35-39 Hood Street**  
Demolition of garage/workshop and ancillary storage buildings and erect 2no dwellings. Within a Conservation Area.
- N/2016/0539 The Old Cherry Tree Public House, 8 Cherry Tree Lane**  
Listed building consent application for new extract system on flat roof, removal of window and hatch and internal doors, block up internal opening and new partition wall and door. Within a Conservation Area. Listed Building
- N/2016/0561 St Andrews Hospital, Billing Road, Northampton, NN1 5DG**  
Listed building consent application for internal alterations including removal of walls and doors and installation of walls and doors. Listed Building.
- N/2016/0388 54 Dunster Street**  
Conversion of an existing factory into 5no. apartments, erection of balcony to rear and alterations to front elevation. Within a Conservation Area
- N/2016/0572 Former Kingsthorpe Middle School, Northfield Way**  
Reserved matters application for residential development for up to 195 dwellings and public open space. Major Application.
- N/2016/0638 41 St Johns Street**  
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S P Boyes, Director – Regeneration, Enterprise & Planning  
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# Shine is not taken off Town's season

## GRIPPED BY THE COBBLERS

BY TOM REED

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We always knew it could happen but the speed at which Chris Wilder's move to Sheffield United played out left cut-up Cobblers fans feeling deflated.

As suspected, Wilder's flirtation with Charlton Athletic proved no more than that.

For the manager who won the league at Northampton, the real love affair was with his home town club.

For Charlton fans, whose club veers from one crisis to the next under the Belgian Roland Duchâtelet, Wilder would have been mad to go there - but coaching the club he supports is a no-brainer.

There is no loyalty in football yet Wilder undoubtedly showed true care for the Cobblers in holding everything together when the staff were going unpaid earlier in the season.

To say he saved the club when delivering his famous Notts County speech pleading with then chairman David Cardoza to sell to the Kelvin Thomas consortium may be stretching things.

The Supporters' Trust, through the 'Save the Cobblers' campaign, were the catalysts in that, but what Wilder did do was save Northampton's season. He ensured that the endeavours of a special group of players came to fruition come May and for that we'll always be thankful.

The real test of Wilder's love for Northampton Town will be resisting the temptation to plunder the Cobblers' squad. The Blades are a side with far bigger resources than Town and can do without the likes of Ricky Holmes, Adam Smith and John-Joe O'Toole.

The Cobblers however can't do without such players in a small squad and the Shoe Army will feel rightly resentful if Wilder comes knocking for their star talent.

As for what Sheffield United have got themselves in Chris Wilder? A manager who has



perfected an exciting brand of marauding, counter-attacking football.

The 4-2-3-1 formation is not the easiest to get right, being reliant on an all-round centre forward fulcrum and just the right free roaming attacking midfielders. However, Wilder got it spot on this season, registering the second highest goals for ratio in the top four divisions.

Arguably though, man-management has been Wilder's biggest asset; completely sorting out the Northampton changing room while also giving players responsibility to police themselves.

Cross him at your peril, as we saw with the likes of competent players like Ryan Cresswell, benched over seemingly minor errors but ones that cost points.

Sheffield United fans will have to get over their seemingly entitled feeling towards promotion to the Championship. I'm sure Wilder will deliver that but he's shown it

comes with assembling the right type of players, both technically and mentally to do a job of work. That will come with changing the mind-set of the existing personnel and perhaps the culture of the whole club, but Wilder could well be the man to provide the measured progression the proud old Sheffield club is crying out for.

Where does that leave Northampton Town? The calibre of names being touted for the vacant Cobblers job shows how far the club has come under Wilder and Kelvin Thomas in a short space of time.

It will, undoubtedly, be a test of chairman Thomas' connections and ambition with the potential to bring in someone who is actually better than the League One unproven Wilder.

No-one is bigger than the club and Northampton fans showed during the recent financial crisis that the Cobblers are about more than one man. We're a community and we move on together.

## FOOTBALL

## Cobblers to unveil Page as new boss

Port Vale manager Rob Page is to be revealed as the new manager of Northampton Town, BBC Radio Stoke claimed last night.

The 41-year-old is the bookies' favourite to succeed former boss Chris Wilder, who left the club for Sheffield United last week.

And now the local media in Stoke are saying he is on his way from Vale Park to fill the vacant job at Sixfields stadium.

Page has been in charge at Port Vale since 2014 when he stepped up from assistant boss to replace manager Micky Adams.

Vale were second from bottom and fearing relegation when he took charge but he led them to an 18th-placed finish that season.

He then took them to 12th this past season, while Wilder led the Cobblers to becoming the champions of League Two before taking over the managerial seat at Bramall Lane.

Page, an ex-Watford and Sheffield United defender, currently has a year left on his contract at Vale Park - meaning compensation will be due should he leave for the Cobblers.

Wilder was named the League Manager Association's (LMA) League Two Manager of the Year at their annual awards ceremony on Monday night. BBC Radio Stoke has reported that Page will be unveiled as the new Cobblers boss by the end of today.

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## Last-minute glory for NSB U15s side

Northampton School for Boys' U15s were celebrating on Monday after winning the final of the ESFA PlayStation Open Schools Cup at the Madejski Stadium in Reading, thanks to a 2-1 victory over Thomas Telford School.

After a goalless first half, NSB took the lead just two minutes after the restart as Mungo Bridge produced an excellent run down the right before hanging up a cross that was headed home at the back post by Joseph Jarvis. They were pegged back with 10 minutes left when goalkeeper Tyler Mills appeared to be impeded at a free kick and the ball was to slip through his grasp and nestle in the bottom corner.

But NSB were to snatch victory with just a couple of minutes to go when a final shot was squeezed in via the post after an initial effort had been saved.

Cue wild celebrations at the final whistle.

## High hopes for new Northants new boy Prasanna

## CRICKET

Northamptonshire head coach David Ripley is hoping Sri Lanka international Seekkuge Prasanna will have a big impact on their NatWest T20 Blast campaign, which begins with a trip to Leicestershire on Friday.

Prasanna will be available throughout the group stage and, after playing in the second XI game between the two sides on Wednesday, will line up alongside his new teammates for the first time at Grace Road.

The 30-year-old may not have the profile of last year's overseas

player, Shahid Afridi, but his leg-spin combined with some big hitting down the order could prove to be very useful.

Ripley said: "I think Seekkuge being available for all the games is a big thing. It helps with some continuity and he looks tailor-made for T20 cricket with the statistics that he has.

"Leg spinners are very dangerous players in terms of wicket-taking in T20 cricket and he's got a very high strike rate.

"He's played a little bit with Josh Cobb in the Bangladesh Premier League and he's excitable - he celebrates his wickets and he looks like he loves what

he's doing."

Ripley is sure Prasanna will fit in nicely at Wantage Road, even though there is a bit of a language barrier to jump over.

He said: "I haven't got a clue what he's talking about - his English is a bit limited - and he doesn't understand us either.

"My first telephone conversation didn't go particularly well, but when I met him [there were] a few thumbs up and smiles and we were alright."

Northants finished runners-up in last year's T20 Blast to Lancashire as they made their second finals day in three seasons, producing some memora-

ble performances along the way.

But Ripley is looking for them to get off to a better start this time around after they lost their first three group games in the shorter format in 2015, which then required the run of seven wins in eight games that qualified them for the quarter finals.

Ripley said: "There's been a lot of awareness with how slowly we started last time and we're doing all we can to make sure we start better this time.

"It's not rocket science - we lost three games on the bounce. We've got a lot of competition, not just for the team, but for batting slots."



NEW FACE: Seekkuge Prasanna will make his debut





YOUNG TALENT: Harry Mallinder is now a first-team regular

## Mallinder up for award after whirlwind season

### RUGBY

Just one year ago an injury-hit Harry Mallinder was wondering whether his dream of making the grade in Aviva Premiership Rugby would ever come true.

This time in 2015, the 19-year-old was at the end of a frustrating injury-ridden season, while taking his mind off being stuck on the sidelines by working through a part-time degree in Business Economics.

But fast forward 12 months and the story could not be more different with Mallinder nominated for the Land Rover Discovery of the Season Award having starred for Saints this season across the back line.

He is joined on the illustrious shortlist by Harlequin Jack Clifford, Saints teammate Paul Hill, Saracens Maro Itoje, Sale Sharks' Sam James and Leicester Tigers' Harry Thacker, with past winners of the gong including England players Manu Tuilagi, Ben Youngs, Owen Farrell and Billy Vunipola.

Just to be included in such extraordinary company is something that Mallinder is the first to say was completely unfathomable this time last year.

He said: "I was a bit shocked really to be nominated, but I'm very honoured to be mentioned alongside some great young players in the Aviva Premiership.

"Some of the other guys have gone on to do great things already. You only have to look at the guys that have won this award in previous years and the success they've gone on to achieve to know this is a big deal.

"I can only hope to follow in their footsteps now. If I'm honest I wasn't expecting to get so much of an opportunity this year.

"I had a terrible year last year with injuries and missed most of the season as a result. So to get back fit again was just massive, and I knew with the World Cup I might get some opportunities, but to be playing for the first team so regularly has been great."

With his dad leading Saints since 2007, Mallinder has grown up with the club and he admits pulling on the Northampton jersey still gives him goosebumps.

And having shown he is one of the club's rising stars, next on the agenda for the versatile Mallinder is nailing down his spot in the starting XV for next season.

"I've been a big supporter of Saints. I've watched from the stands, been a ball boy, and to get my place and make a difference for such a great club finally after what seemed like a very long time has been amazing," said Mallinder.

### SAINTS SEASON REVIEW

The 2015/16 season will ultimately go down as a disappointing campaign for Northampton Saints.

They went into the beginning of it with realistic hopes of winning their second Premiership title in three seasons, but ended it outside of the play-off places for the first time since 2008/09.

A lack of consistency on the pitch, particularly in the first few months of the season, cost them dear, with the defeats at Worcester, London Irish and Newcastle Falcons really holding them back.

But at least their fifth-place finish earned them another crack at the European Champions Cup, after they bowed out of that competition in the quarter finals to eventual winners Saracens despite what was a brave effort by their injury-hit side at Allianz Park.

Here is Matt Wright's review of a campaign that saw some established names struggle, while some new names rose to prominence.

#### Player of the season: Teimana Harrison

Arguably, there hasn't been a bigger revelation in the Premiership this season than Teimana Harrison.

By May, Harrison was one of the first names on the team sheet due to his brilliant work at the breakdown, his relentless tackling and the sort of rampaging runs few of his fellow forwards were able to produce.

He first came to prominence as an openside flanker, but he proved to be just as effective at number 8 and, so eye-catching was his form, the New Zealand-born back rower with an English father may well be touring Australia with the Red Rose this summer.

#### Young player of the season: Harry Mallinder

It's never easy when your dad is the boss, but since breaking into the first team in January, Harry Mallinder has left no-one questioning whether he's in the side on merit.

The 19-year-old burst on the scene with a winning try in the



RAMPAGING RUN: Teimana Harrison goes on the attack for Saints against Leicester Tigers

Champions Cup match against Glasgow Warriors and followed this up with a man-of-the-match display in his first start against the Scarlets the following week.

Since then, the son of Saints director of rugby Jim Mallinder, has been a regular fixture either at full back or at inside centre, which does appear to be his best position.

#### Try of the season: Lee Dickson v London Irish

Northampton weren't able to cut loose as often as they would have liked this season, due to a combination of an absurd amount of wet weather in their games and a lack of ruthlessness in attack.

This score from skipper Lee Dickson wasn't the most important of the campaign, but it was the most spectacular.

It started when Wood burst from his own half before he passed to the rampaging Luther Burrell, who found Jamie Gibson in support and the flanker off-loaded to Dickson as he approached the line. It was the fifth try in Northampton's 35-7 win over the Exiles in February.

#### Match of the season: Harlequins away

The match at the Twickenham Stoop on a windy February afternoon was a pulsating encounter that saw the lead change hands six times, but it was the final twist in Northampton's 27-23 win that provided one of the moments of the season.

It's one that Ben Botica may still be haunted by as, with the clock red, all he had to do was kick – or walk – the ball into touch from his own in-goal area to secure victory for Quins.

Somehow, he failed to do so as Ben Foden (pictured left) kept the ball in play and the visitors kept their composure through several phases until Burrell found Foden, who went through a gap down the right for the most dramatic of winners.

#### Disappointment of the season: Leicester Tigers at home

This 30-24 defeat against Leicester Tigers at the Gardens in April was where it dawned on Saints that their play-off – and title – hopes were over.

The fact that it was their East Midlands rivals that dealt the killer blow would have hurt supporters, but there was a feeling of 'what if?' about this match as Northampton went into it with 10 senior players injured, with many of them key names.

The match turned on Vereniki Goneva's intercept try, two minutes after Harrison had levelled the match on the half-hour. Leicester never gave up their lead again.

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'Making a comeback is one of the most difficult things to do with dignity'  
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## Monty back in business

### CRICKET

BY MATT WRIGHT  
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**NORTHAMPTONSHIRE 498 DREW WITH KENT 396 & 131-2**

Monty Panesar made the first appearance of his second spell with Northamptonshire in their draw with Kent and the spinner is surprised with how far he has progressed in the last month.

Panesar made his return to Wantage Road just before the start of the season in April and it appeared as though Northants would have to be patient with him when it came to him regaining his fitness, as he was recovering from shoulder surgery.

But after stepping up his comeback by playing for the county's second XI and for Bedfordshire in the Unicorns Knockout Trophy, the 34-year-old made his first appearance in the County Championship for Northants since their match at Essex in September 2009.

The comeback went well for the man capped 50 times in Test matches by England, as he took four wickets in a match where the pitch offered very little throughout.

Panesar said: "The track was obviously very placid and it was a very slow, low wicket. It was just about sustaining the right pace for the pitch and also setting the right fields."

"I kind of surprised myself - I bowled 40 overs in the first innings. That's quite a lot and the shoulder kept really well, so things looked in a good frame."

"It was good to get a lot of overs under my

belt - that's really helped to get the best out of my bowling and the rhythm felt really good."

"I didn't expect to make a recovery this soon, but things look positive and it's just great to be going out and playing first-class cricket. I really enjoyed and loved every minute of it."

This was Northants' fourth draw in five County Championship matches this season and yet again they were disrupted by the weather after rain ensured only 11 overs were possible on the final day.

But there were several positives to take out of the match apart from Panesar's comeback as captain Alex Wakely made 87 in their first innings total of 498, which saw Jake Libby add 81 in the week his loan from Nottinghamshire was extended.

Plus, Olly Stone made a career best 60 batting from nine after Rory Kleinveldt had been the pick of their bowlers with 3-53 as the hosts bowled Kent out for 396 on what was very much a batsman's track.

But Panesar's return to first-class cricket was the main talking point and head coach David Ripley was impressed with what he saw, saying: "Monty's had a good game and he's had a good winter."

"He's worked hard recovering from his shoulder, he's worked hard with the group and he's worked hard at his bowling."

"He's got a little problem, still, throwing the ball, but his bowling was good and he looked a threat on the last day. I imagine that if we were trying to push home for a win on the last day, with men round the bat, he would have been a handful."

"It was nice to see him back and obviously there are plenty of Championship matches left and I think if he can maintain that form - because Graeme White is still fighting him for that position - I'm sure he's going to play some more cricket."



**IN THE GROOVE:** Monty Panesar took four wickets in Northants' draw with Kent

**Cobblers' 'new boss' revealed**

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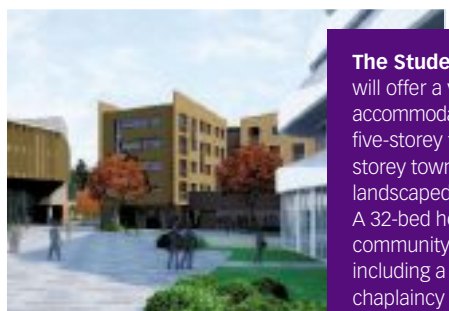
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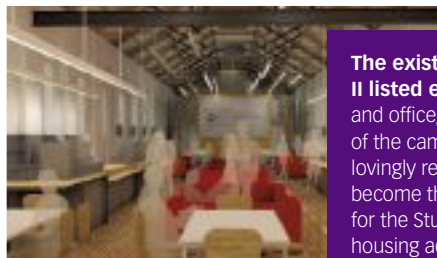
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